

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3664

By COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

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1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 3, after “ORS” insert “411.400, 411.402 and” and delete
2 “414.706” and insert “section 1, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009”.

3 On page 3, delete lines 41 through 45.

4 On page 4, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert:

5 “**SECTION 2.** Section 1, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009, as amended by section 46, chapter 828,
6 Oregon Laws 2009, is amended to read:

7 “**Sec. 1.** (1) The Health System Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct
8 from the General Fund. Interest earned by the Health System Fund shall be credited to the fund.

9 “(2) Amounts in the Health System Fund are continuously appropriated to the Oregon Health
10 Authority for the purpose of funding the Health Care for All Oregon Children program established
11 in [section 27, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009] **ORS 414.231**, health services described in ORS 414.705
12 (1)(a) to (j) and other health services. Moneys in the fund may also be used by the authority to:

13 “(a) Provide grants to community health centers and safety net clinics under [section 33, chapter
14 867, Oregon Laws 2009] **ORS 413.225**.

15 “(b) Pay refunds due under section 41, chapter 736, Oregon Laws 2003, and under section 11,
16 chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009.

17 “(c) Pay administrative costs incurred by the authority to administer the assessment in section
18 9, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009.

19 “(d) **Provide health services described in ORS 414.705 to individuals described in ORS**
20 **414.025 (2)(f)(B).**

21 “(3) The authority shall develop a system for reimbursement by the authority to the Office of
22 Private Health Partnerships out of the Health System Fund for costs associated with administering
23 the private health option pursuant to [section 30, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009] **ORS 414.826**.

24 “**SECTION 3.** ORS 411.400 is amended to read:

25 “411.400. (1) Application for any category of aid shall also constitute application for medical
26 assistance.

27 “(2) Except as otherwise provided in this section, [each person requesting medical assistance shall
28 make application therefor to the Department of Human Services] **a person shall request medical**
29 **assistance by filing an application as provided in ORS 411.081.**

30 “(3) The Department **of Human Services** shall determine eligibility for and fix the date on
31 which [such] **medical** assistance may begin, and shall obtain such other information required by the
32 rules of the department.

33 “[3] (4) If an applicant is unable to make application for medical assistance, an application
34 may be made by someone acting responsibly for the applicant.

35 “(5) **The department may modify the application requirements in ORS 411.081 for a person**

1 **whose basis of eligibility for medical assistance changes from one category of aid to another**
2 **category of aid under ORS 414.025 (2).**

3 **“SECTION 4.** ORS 411.402 is amended to read:

4 “411.402. For each person applying for medical assistance, the Department of Human Services
5 shall fully document:

6 “(1) The category of aid as defined in ORS 414.025 that makes the person eligible for medical
7 assistance or the way in which the person qualifies as categorically needy as defined in ORS 414.025;

8 “(2) The status of the person as a resident of this state; and

9 “(3) The [*financial*] income and resources of the person **as necessary to establish financial**
10 **eligibility.**”.

11 In line 6, delete “3” and insert “5”.

12 In line 7, after “Services” delete the rest of the line and delete lines 8 and 9 and insert “to ob-
13 tain necessary approvals to implement the amendments to ORS 411.400, 411.402 and 414.025 and
14 section 1, chapter 867, Oregon Laws 2009, by sections 1 to 4 of this 2010 Act.”.

15 In line 10, delete “4” and insert “6”.
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